#### PATENT APPLICATION

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Hiroshi SEKINE

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For:

VEHICLE STEERING SYSTEM

#### AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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# RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

### MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 3, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.